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1. The industrial company established in Wangyehmiao (122-01, 46-05) by the Inner Mongolian Autonomous Government has branches in Harbin, Tumen (129-49, 42-58), Chiamussu, Tsitsihar, Hailar and Manchouli. The manager of the company is a Mongol whose name in Chinese phoneticization is Cha-ho-ssu-t'u; the assistant manager is Ta-mu-lin-she-leng. There is a Chinese Communist Trading Bureau in Wangyehmiao. **Comment.** See [REDACTED] which mentions Johisto (Chinese phoneticization: Chao-ho-ssu-t'u) as being head of the Mongolian People's Cooperative in Wangyehmiao. [REDACTED] mentions a branch of the West Manchuria Trading Company in Wangyehmiao with Yemanov as manager. It is possible that both a trading company and a cooperative exist there. It is probable that the industrial company does not have branches in the cities mentioned above but is either a branch of a larger company which has branches throughout Manchuria or an independent company, one of many involved in trading with the USSR.)

2. There is a branch of the I. I. Churin Company in Wangyehmiao.

3. Products secured by the industrial company for trade with the USSR include lumber from the Hsingan Mountains, salt from Usumchin Banner and animal pelts. In exchange the company received hardware, tools, machinery and some arms and ammunition.

4. In addition to the industrial company there is a small arsenal, a shoe factory, a clothing factory and a small iron works in Wangyehmiao.

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